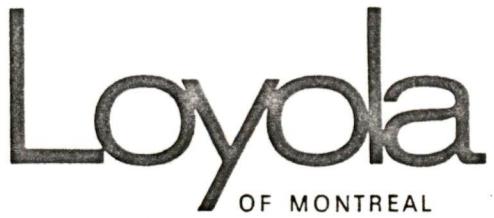


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GEORGIANS CHALLANGE LEAGUE-LEADING WARRIORS
FOR FIRST SPOT IN HOOP RACE

The league-leading Loyola Cage Warriors will host the second-place Sir George Williams Georgians on Thursday evening at 8p.m. at the Loyola Athletic Complex.

The Warriors, currently 8-0 in Q.U.A.A. play, and the Georgians have met once already this year, the Warriors emerging with a controversial 89-69 decision. The much-talked-about incident arose just 5 minutes into the game when hot-headed Sir George standout Zan Pelzer was ejected from the game for starting a fight with a Loyola reserve.

With Pelzer out of the lineup, the Warriors dominated the play before a packed house at the Loyola gym. Outstanding performances were turned in by Montrealers Dave Kurtz (20 points and 16 rebounds) and Wayne Hussey (20 points). Slick guard John Erglis also chipped in with 18 points.

The Warriors boast the hottest player in the Q.U.A.A. right now, 6'4" Ron Puskarich. Since returning from the Christmas break, Puskarich has had consecutive games of 35, 25, 23 and 26 points to boost his league scoring average to 20 ppg.

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